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And Twenty-First of its Labors at

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# Twenty-Seventh Annual Report

*Of the New York Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, and the Twenty-first of its labors at the Five Points.*

ANOTHER year of work done, of blessings received, calls for renewed acknowledgments to the Giver of all good. It has been a peaceful, prosperous year, witnessing the usual routine of work done in behalf of the souls and the bodies of the poor of the Five Points.

The power to receive for a season in the Mission building worthy families, who, under some great stress of circumstances, are homeless and destitute, sometimes leads to important results. It gives a foothold until a permanent standing place can be reached. The missionary tells an interesting story of a stranger who came to the office last fall to seek for employment. His family and luggage were still at Castle Garden, where they had landed ; his money was gone, and he was in deep distress. He was a baker, and a member of the Baptist Church. Rooms were given, temporary relief afforded to him and his family, work was obtained for him, and his children were placed in the Mission schools. In April an application came from a gentleman in Connecticut for a family to work in his factory. He had previously sent for a widow and five children from the Mission, who had done so well for him and for themselves that he wanted another such a family. So the place was provided, and the family soon settled in their new country home, where we hear of the father inviting the young people to a Bible class in his room, as there was no Sunday school near, and the girls spending Sunday afternoon out on the hills talking of their dear teacher at the Mission, and singing the sweet hymns with which they had there become familiar. We trust the religious impressions they there received will prove abiding.



Encouraging reports reach us from the Library and Reading Room, where from thirty to sixty young men spend their evenings in reading the papers and the books they select from the carefully prepared catalogue. At the suggestion of one of the ladies who thought that the light and warmth within would be attractive to those without, the windows of the Reading Room were left open, but the darkness hated the light, and stones thrown into the window rendered it unsafe to expose the lighted interior to missiles from an unknown hand. A great point has been gained in establishing quiet and order in the large company in the Reading Room. These young men have their peculiarities; they prefer giving assumed names to their own, and the familiar names of noted politicians of the city are adopted without any scruple. One young man asked for books for two or three months under the name of Peter B. Sweeny. Among the regular attendants are some excellent Christian young men, trained in the Mission school, and they afford valuable aid to the librarian, Mr. Campbell, in giving out the books, enabling him to keep his eyes upon the readers, and affording him, he says, an illustration of the text "I will guide thee with mine eye." Gifts of books and pamphlets for the Library will be most thankfully received, and will add to the usefulness of this department of missionary work.

The schools have been largely attended during the past year. Mrs. Van Aiken, the principal of the day school, reports the average daily attendance four hundred and thirty-five, with another average of sixteen under four years of age. Eleven hundred and ninety children have been taught in the school during the year, and the beautiful order and discipline so firmly established reflect great credit upon the teachers. It was interesting to see at the reception on the twentieth of April how silent and immovable the four hundred children sat, while a class of eighteen or twenty were examined in reading, spelling, geography and arithmetic, and how exact

and harmonious were their exercises in calisthenics, and in their service of song. Bright faces, happy children ! They did not seem akin to the dwellers in the degraded homes from which so many of them had come. A large proportion of them are dark-eyed Italian children, who are here learning to be intelligent citizens instead of wandering beggars and musicians. A number of certificates and premiums were given out—two for perfect lessons and deportment for six months, several for not having missed three questions during the year. When the school closed for the summer vacation on the 22d of July, two boys, eleven and twelve years of age, received each a bright golden quarter eagle, with blue ribbon attached, called the Shaffer Testimonial, for proficiency in arithmetic. It is pleasing to observe such perseverance in well-doing, proving as it does that character is here built up day by day.

The Sunday school has been largely attended during the year, the children crowding the spacious room, which, though greatly enlarged two years ago, is found to be too small for the number thronging it in every part.

These children have quick perceptions and warm hearts, and they are not unworthy of the confidence placed in them by their teachers. All their happy moments come to them through the Mission school, and kind hearts and willing hands occasionally prepare for them a little festival or excursion, enjoyed with a zest unknown to more prosperous children. One is reminded by some of these of the feasts recommended in the New Testament. For instance the excursion to Central Park, arranged for them one summer afternoon ; the sight of the animals, the run over the soft, green grass, so grateful to eye and touch, the sail on the lake, their sweet songs keeping time with the stroke of the oar—all this was a bit of fairy land to a childhood of so few pleasures. Then the evening of the Fourth of July spent on the roof of the Mission House, enjoying the display of fireworks, and singing patriotic songs. One kind friend makes a winter evening marvelous to child-

ish eyes by the varied scenes, historic, Scriptural, poetic, of the magic lantern. Thanksgiving Day comes with its substantial gifts, and Christmas was this year made especially memorable.

All nationalities are represented in the school. A young Armenian was there studying patiently the English language, that he might learn more of Christianity and of business. Converted in his own country by the labors of the Rev. Mr. Schneider, and a member of the Presbyterian Church, his eyes sparkled at the name of Jesus whom he had learned to love.

The open air services were attended throughout the summer by the usual promiscuous crowd. It was curious to watch the assemblage, a portion of which remained stationary, with a shifting fringe, some pausing to hear only a few words of the preacher's message, while others remained intent until the close. Here a man with a sick child asleep in his arms, and there two lads, who, having heard the word, speak one to the other, "Do you intend to let the Redeemer come into your heart?" "No," and with this answer so repeatedly given in word or deed, they saunter away. Here women weeping, and there an aged man, with fixed despairing face—such may be seen in the congregation in Paradise Square. The seed is sown by all waters, knowing not which may prosper.

One gift to the Mission was unique in its character, composed as it was of more than a thousand garments, sent from twenty-eight states and territories, to compete for the premiums offered by Orange Judd, Esq., for the best specimen of patching and darning.

The Sewing school, organized in the latter part of the year has been well attended, and the ladies who have given their time to the enterprise, have felt well repaid by the attention and improvement of the children, and their eagerness to be taught to make their own garments.

A legacy of five thousand dollars has been left to the Mis-

sion by Mrs Varnum, whose husband made a similar bequest a few years ago. By personal inquiries and visits they had satisfied themselves of the worthiness of this Christian charity.

There has been a satisfactory attendance on the religious services. A goodly number come up to the class meeting and the prayer meetings, and give evidence in their life of the sincerity of their professions.

The following statistics do not include coal nor medicine, which are very considerable items : 5,197 pieces of clothing, including pairs of shoes and bed quilts, have been distributed from the wardrobes, and 1,293 through the office, making a total of 6,490 ; 122,113 rations of food have been given to the needy ; 4 infants have been adopted ; 66 children have been provided with homes ; and 119 adults have been sent to places of employment.

We trust that this exhibit of the leading features of our work may convince the friends of the Mission of the necessity of enlarged liberality, that it may be sustained in its efforts to help those who are ready to perish, and to train up the hundreds of children in its care in the paths of virtue. Blessings are invoked upon it by very many who owe to its teachings their lives of honor and usefulness. Our aim is greatly to add to the number of such rescued ones. The material is all around us and awaits the moulding hand.

JULIA M. OLIN.

*Corresponding Secretary.*



# Industrial School.

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In the latter part of the winter the Ladies reorganized the Industrial School. The Secretary's Report, given below, shows that an encouraging progress was made in this feature of our work. It will be resumed in the fall, soon after the close of the school vacation. Its operations commenced in February, 1871, and closed the following May :—

## SECRETARY'S REPORT.

THE Roll Book of the Industrial School records the names of one hundred and nineteen children, ranging in age from six to sixteen years. The average attendance upon the school has been fifty-eight scholars. The teachers realize that the attendance would be larger, did the school hold its sessions on another day of the week than Saturday, since upon this day no *Hebrew* children can attend, and it is furthermore the one day of the week when the families in the vicinity of the mission scrub and clean offices and public buildings, in which work the children assist their parents.

Forty-eight garments have been prepared by the ladies of the cutting committee. Twenty-six garments have been distributed to such children as had proved their fitness to sew them, by previously making "models" under the direction of their teachers.

The Treasurer reports the receipt from Mr. F. G. SMITH of funds sufficient to meet the expenses of the Sewing School during the past winter and spring, for which amount the officers and teachers of the school beg leave to offer to him their sincere thanks.

MISS ANNIE SHAFFER,  
*Secretary.*



# TREASURER'S REPORT.

Ladies' Home Missionary Society at the Five Points in account with Mrs. W. B. Skidmore, Treasurer.

<i>From May 1st, 1870, to May 1st, 1871.</i>		<i>Dr.</i>	<i>From May 1st, 1870, to May 1st, 1871.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>
By balance in Treasury, per last Report	.	\$3,762 95	Cash paid Rev. J. N. Shafer	.	\$2,000 00
Received at meetings of the Board	.	549 82	" Mr. Campbell, Librarian	.	405 00
" Estate of Mr. Scoles	.	4,799 49	" Clerk	.	650 00
" Mr. Charles Colgate	.	100 00	" Janitor	.	485 00
" Board of Education	.	3,928 69	" School Visitor	.	600 00
" Thanksgiving Circulars	.	1,211 74	" Teachers	.	4,656 25
" " Collection	.	77 21	" Coal	.	621 00
" Mrs. Cath. Adams, Plainfield, N. J.	.	100 00	" Cornelius Disosway	.	324 20
" City Chamberlain	.	5,000 00	" Bread	.	1,201 77
" P. T. Barnum	.	100 00	" Shoes	.	323 25
" Collected by C. R. Disosway	.	353 10	" Taxes, Insurance, Water Rent	.	228 00
" By Mr. Boole, from a friend to the poor	.	100 00	" Certificates, Books, Printing, Stationery	.	936 93
" Mr. Leavens, agent	.	42 20	" Mission use	.	1,529 47
" Slate Comptroller	.	2,849 58	" Thanksgiving expenses	.	398 25
" Mr. Hill	.	671 21	" Material for Clothing	.	981 57
" Mr. Ruisen Suckley	.	100 00	" Repairs	.	53 24
" Interest on Securities	.	300 00	" Direct Charities	.	3,004 29
" M. E. Sunday School 30th-street	.	100 00			
" Washington Square	.	30 00			
" Sunday School 2d-street	.	25 00	Balance in Treasury	.	\$18,418 22
" Sands-street Sunday School	.	100 00			9,076 48
" Sunday School 43d-street	.	50 00			
" Bedford-street M. E. Church	.	89 42			
" at Mission House	.	3,054 29			
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		\$27,494 70			\$27,494 70

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"K," Williamsburgh .....	50	Miss Hill, balance .....	75
Mr David .....	1 00	"E L," .....	25 00
Dr J Everett, Nichols, N Y .....	3 00	Chas O Judd, Flushing, L I,	
James Parker, Paterson, N J ..	2 00	balance .....	75
T A Belknap, Brooklyn .....	2 00	F G Smith, for awning .....	20 00
Congregational SS, Whitewater,		Mrs D, per J F Warner .....	2 00
Wis, per Mrs L M Severance	10 00	Mrs H, per J. F Warner .....	1 00
"A," Waverly, N Y, per Rev J		Collected in Sabbath school...	22 69
B Westlake .....	25 00	Paid in at Board meeting in June	
Mrs Ingraham, Ameniam .....	1 00	By Mrs Mead: J McCall ...	7 00
Jesse Worrick, Cannaseraga ..	1 00	C H Phelps .....	5 00
A Friend in Montreal, per J B		Dr A E M Purdy .....	1 00
Wade .....	5 00	Mrs J Finch .....	2 00
B Wade .....	5 00	Mrs Dickerman .....	1 00
Collected in Sabbath school...	31 90	By Mrs Peter Smith:	
Paid in at Board Meeting in May		Miss Mary E Patton .....	1 00
By Miss Holden: Mrs Merritt	1 00	Mrs Kane .....	7 00
Miss A L Holden .....	1 00	Friend, for board of child .....	4 00
By Miss C H Roome: Mr		Mrs Van Steenburgh, Red Hook,	
Townsend Wandall .....	3 00	N Y, per Miss Delia Jackson	2 00
Mr Edward Green .....	1 00	"S W," for "cups of cold water"	1 00
A Friend .....	1 00	Samuel F Moore, Derby, Conn.	1 00
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Mr Mead .....	5 00	Sunday School class of A D	
Mrs Deems .....	2 00	Lynch, Shelbyville, Ind .....	10 00
Miss E Burling .....	5 00	Box .....	50
Proceeds from fair at 141 Lex-		Collected in Sunday school .....	15 74
ington Avenue, by Mary		Mrs C Williams, balance .....	25
Adeline Harberger, Flor-		W D Bishop, Cambridge, N Y,	
ence W Ryder, Louisa Ry-		balance .....	1 75
der, Fannie Gallraing, Mag-		A Friend .....	85
gie Hunt .....	13 35	Lady, for board of baby .....	6 00
T Ketchum, Kingston .....	1 00	Mrs E Tompkins, Red Hook,	
A B Howe .....	5 00	N Y .....	1 00
Bedford St M E Church, collec-		R Burr, Concord, Ohio .....	2 00
tion .....	89 42	Capt E B Hale .....	5 00
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Friends .....	75	A B Hoyt, Yonkers .....	1 00
Friend, for care and board of		Collected in Sunday school .....	19 88
child .....	4 00	S S Class No. 9 .....	3 90
Mrs Adams .....	30	E Dimmick, balance .....	75
Forty-third St M E Church, per		Lawrence, Kansas .....	5 00
A Carmichael .....	50 00	Mrs Hannah Bentley, of Bent-	
Miss Emma Freeman .....	63	leyville .....	5 00
James Pryor .....	5 00	Sundry persons, through Mr E	
E C Rathburn, Stockbridge,		B Webb, to give a ride and a	
Mass .....	1 00	sail to the Five Points Mis-	
Jno Webster, Stockbridge, Mass	25	sion children—Central Park..	14 00

Mrs Hall .....	1 00	Miss Anderson .....	1 00
Collected in Sabbath school....	24 68	Mrs Smith .....	1 00
Paid in at board Meeting in Sept:		Mrs James Davis .....	1 00
Mrs P Smith, subscription...	1 00	Chas S Hoyt, for Thanksgiving,	
Mrs J W Oliver .....	1 00	Christmas and New Years ...	30 00
Miss Carrie Crawford, sub-		Mary C Shull .....	5 00
scription .....	2 00	Berosus Cook and lady .....	3 00
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Richard W Goggin, Erie, Pa ...	5 00	" Rusticia" .....	5 00
B Gedney .....	50	Friends in Cazenovia (No 9) ...	2 00
A Visitor .....	1 00	Mrs C Fisher, balance .....	75
M E S S, Sands St, Brooklyn..	100 00	W Cornish .....	1 00
C C Colgate .....	100 00	A M Green, Matteawan .....	2 00
Mrs Catharine Adams, Plain-		Mrs Hotchkiss .....	2 00
field, N J .....	100 00	Cash .....	1 00
For Board of Child .....	10 00	Through Miss Hammond:	
Mrs Ellen Cole, Harrisburgh,		18th St M E S S, for Thanks-	
Penn .....	1 00	giving dinner .....	11 77
Collected in Sabbath school....	41 53	18th St M E Young People's	
Paid in at Board meeting in Oct:		prayer meeting, for Thanks-	
By Mrs Peter Smith: Mrs		giving dinner .....	6 80
James Davis .....	1 00	Mrs A Woodward, Hawley, Pa,	
By Mrs Holstein: A friend,		balance .....	50
donation .....	1 50	Friend, for board of a child....	5 00
By Mrs George E Myers, sub-		Cash .....	50
scription .....	2 00	R A Reading .....	25 00
Miss H L Mershon subscrip.	1 00	A Friend .....	2 00
Mrs John Lynch .....	1 00	Mrs Leain .....	5 00
Mr John Lynch .....	1 00	William Massino .....	5 00
Mr John Bancroft .....	1 00	Mr J S Burtis .....	1 00
By Mrs Wm Ryer: Mrs Ham-		Cash .....	1 00
mond .....	1 00	John D Shaffer, Newburgh ...	10 00
Mrs J Eddy .....	1 00	Collected in Sabbath school....	31 34
Mrs H Holman .....	1 00	C A Morris .....	10 00
A Friend .....	3 00	T A Argall .....	10 00
By Mrs W K Moore: Mrs		Jennette A Burdick .....	1 00
Charles Hall .....	5 00	Mrs McWilliams .....	1 00
By Miss A L Holden: Mr		Mrs Miller .....	5 00
John H Butcher .....	1 00	E Beadleston .....	5 00
Mr Vincent Le Compte ....	1 00	Mrs M Slayton .....	50
Mr Parker .....	2 00	Mrs M A Sherwood .....	3 00
By Mrs Stephen Merritt, Jr:		J B Truman, for 2 bbls potatoes,	
Mr R E Selmes, subscription	1 00	on a proposition to raise 100	
Mrs Mary E Selmes .....	1 00	bbls. ....	4 00
Mr Charles W Link .....	1 00	A Wells and other friends in	
Mrs Charles W Link .....	1 00	Crown Point Centre .....	5 75
Mr Richard Keyes .....	1 00	Mrs Van Steinburgh, per Miss C	
Mrs Richard Keyes .....	1 00	A Jackson .....	2 00
Rev Chas S Brown .....	1 00	W C Steadman .....	1 00
Sarah E Selmes, donation	50	Two Friends .....	5 00
Spencer R Selmes .....	50	Mrs L Leach .....	4 00
Mr Abram Blauvelt .....	50	Mrs Haffry .....	1 00
By Mrs P Smith: Mrs Mott..	1 00	Mrs Silas Hulse .....	1 00
Mrs Roberts .....	1 00	Friends in Plattsburgh, per Rev	
Miss Patton .....	1 00	J R Barley .....	2 50
Miss Thompson .....	1 00	A Friend .....	50

Friend in Carthage .....	2 00	Mrs Hollman, for Thanks-	
Mrs Dr Pratt, Haverstraw .....	1 00	giving.....	2 00
A F Abbott, Waterbury, Ct, S S		By Mrs Mead:	
Supt .....	2 00	Mrs J B Cornell.....	25 00
Mrs Maria A Robbins.....	2 00	Mrs J McCall.....	5 00
B Gedney .....	1 00	By Miss C H Roome:	
Miss Bennett.....	1 00	Mrs W Shute.....	5 00
C Williams .....	2 50	By Miss C Crawford:	
Rev J Staunton, Norway, N Y,		Mrs Van Houton .....	1 00
collection taken at Cold Brook	5 50	Mrs Flewellyn .....	1 00
J B Pomeroy .....	5 00	By Miss Hammond:	
J H Sahler .....	50 00	18th St S school, Thanks-	
Mrs L A Delano.....	25 00	giving .....	11 77
Collected in Sabbath school....	47 16	Young People's prayer	
Paid in at Board meeting in Dec.		meeting, 18th St. ....	6 80
By Mrs Stephen Merritt:		P T Barnum.....	100 00
Mr Richard Keyes.....	5 00	"W M".....	5 00
Mrs Richard Keyes.....	5 00	A Friend .....	5 00
Mrs Wm H Decker.....	5 00	C Meeker .....	5 00
Mrs G F Robinson.....	1 00	Miss Bella Kingsland .....	1 00
Mrs E M Wall.....	50	Miss Minnie Kingsland.....	1 00
Mrs J D Robinson.....	1 00	Friend "H".....	10 00
Mrs J C Sealy.....	1 00	Geo Potter, balance.....	4 75
Mrs G Morrow .....	1 00	S S Scranton .....	10 00
Mrs R Bentley.....	2 00	Three little S S children, Ben-	
Mrs E Watson.....	3 00	nington, Vt ..e.....	4 75
Mrs A Stewart.....	1 00	Several ladies of Bennington,	
Mrs F A Ransom.....	5 00	Vt, per H J Potter ..	4 00
Mrs G Pettit.....	1 00	Mrs D, for board of baby.....	6 00
Mrs W J Sexton .....	1 00	James Buel.....	10 00
Mrs S Mason .....	2 00	N R Bennett.....	2 00
Mrs G J Bogert.....	1 00	Alanson Jones .....	2 00
Mrs F S Lambe.....	50	C Augusta Robinson.....	10 00
Dr Van Antrope.....	1 00	P R Quick .....	2 00
Mrs Gage, Jr.....	1 00	Mr J Hazard ..	2 00
Mrs Carpenter .....	1 00	N W Roseman, balance .....	75
Mrs Winston .....	1 00	Miss H Maples, balance.....	4 00
Bennie Force.....	1 00	Dr J M Howe.....	5 00
Cash.....	50	Mrs Mary Greenwood .....	2 00
Cash.....	75	Nancy Hempstead .....	2 00
Mary Force .....	1 00	Sing Sing.....	1 00
By Mrs S Olin:		Mrs Garvey .....	3 00
Mr Charles P Kirkland....	25 00	P B Beerey, per Miss Winslow ..	10 00
Mrs Mead .....	10 00	Andrew Boyd.....	10 00
By Miss C Roome:		A C Smith .....	5 00
Mrs J C Riley .....	5 00	Stephen H Smith, balance .....	45
Mrs J B Smith .....	1 00	Proceeds of a private concert	
Mrs J Denby .....	1 00	by Miss T, Mrs V A, Treas..	50
Mrs J Inglis.....	1 00	R Burr .....	2 00
Mrs C H Crawford .....	1 00	Mrs E G Howland, to buy coal	
Miss A Truslow .....	1 00	for the poor around us.....	5 00
Mrs J Crouch.....	1 00	Mrs Enoch Boughton .....	1 00
Do for Thanksgiving	2 00	Miss A A Tobey, in box of goods	5 00
Mrs F G Smith .....	5 00	Collected in North Chatham, per	
By Mrs Ryer:		Rev F Widmer.....	8 20
Mrs Hammond .....	1 00	W P Clark.....	5 00
Donation .....	2 00	J D Pratt.....	5 00



Three grandsons of Mrs Winters, Howell's Depot, N Y, Harry Brown 50 cts, Wright Winter 50 cts, Clarence Winter 50 cts.....	1 50	Mr Chas Hall, per Mrs Smith.	1 00
Ezra Alling, per Rev E Cunningham.....	1 00	Per Mrs Rybert : Second St Sunday school, .....	25 00
T J Gwillim, to pay expressage.	50	Per Mrs Van Baskirk: Mr Van Baskirk .....	1 00
P B Beery .....	25 00	Mrs Van Baskirk.....	1 00
Mrs Sarah E Caryl, balance....	75	Per Miss C H Roome: Miss Harriet Howe .....	5 00
"E L" .....	10 00	A Friend .....	1 00
"S E W," per W F Barnard ..	50 00	Mrs Geo Bell .....	1 00
Mrs Lucy P Field, per "H A C," balance.....	1 75	Mrs C Westerfield .....	1 00
Collected in Sabbath school ...	25 68	Mrs David Keys.....	1 00
Elizabeth Handy.....	5 00	Mrs Wm E Keys .....	1 00
Mrs Buckley .....	50	Per Mrs Pullman: Mr Peter Cooper .....	10 00
Friend.....	1 00	Mr J Love.....	3 00
O W C Van Schack .....	5 00	J H P .....	5 00
Picked up on the Central National Bank floor, and sent to the mission .....	1 00	Mr J Pullman.....	2 00
N R White .....	5 00	Mrs E Cooper.....	2 00
S S Brown .....	5 00	Per Carrie McAllister: Rev Wm McAllister.....	50 00
F G Smith, Esq .....	10 00	Per Mrs Fielding: Mrs E G Hamilton .....	10 00
Friend, for board of baby.....	10 00	Mrs H Kimball .....	1 00
C Meeker .....	5 00	From 37th St Church ....	5 00
Wm Hughson, balance.....	4 75	Hattie Johnson, per Miss H Maples .....	1 00
Miss Allie Tracy, to supply bread for the children one day	5 50	Annie Lathrop, per do .....	1 00
Miss H Maples, for same purpose	5 50	Clara J Hopley, per do.....	1 00
Mrs Fanny Raymond " " ..	5 50	Miss Laura Hanford, balance ..	75
Little Charlie's and Mattie's pennies, both in the better land..	50	C Meeker .....	5 00
Two young friends .....	5 00	M E Church of Westford and Elk Creek, N Y, per Rev J Pilkinton .....	10 00
James Stillman.....	10 00	Also, per same, Minnie Pilkinton	1 00
Rev H L Starks .....	2 00	Johnny Pilkinton .....	25
J Parker .....	3 00	Sweetie Pilkinton .....	28
Mrs J Scott.....	1 00	Jessie Pilkinton.....	25
"Dunning," by "G H E".....	10 00	T H Esten, Providence .....	5 00
James Loudon, Jr .....	10	E A Hill .....	5 00
James Stillman.....	10 00	Friend, Plainville, Ct. ....	1 00
Mr David .....	1 00	Hannah K Bentley, of Bentleyville .....	5 00
Mrs Emeline Cone.....	25	Mrs S Albro .....	5 00
Mrs Emma C Westervelt.....	2 00	"W" .....	1 00
Collected in Sabbath school....	19 91	Mrs S Long .....	5 00
Paid in at Board Meeting:		Collection in Sunday school....	21 49
Mrs Truslow .....	5 00	Paid in at Board Meeting in March:	
Mrs F G Smith, for Susie's music lessons .....	15 00	Mrs King, subscription.....	5 00
Mrs Frank Jayne.....	5 00	By Mrs Mead: from Mrs Dickerman .....	3 00
Per Mrs Duff: Mrs Duff.....	5 00	Mrs Phelps ....	2 00
Mrs Bradley.....	4 00	Mrs Faucett .....	2 00
Per Mrs Myers: Mrs Samuel E Hiscox.....	5 00	By Miss E A Truslow: Mrs Stuart .....	5 00
Mrs Oscar Purdy.....	1 00	By Miss E Burling: from 30th St M E S S M S .....	100 00
Mrs Harvey Romer .....	1 00		



By Mrs P H Williams .....	3 00	Mrs Dr Olin .....	2 00
P H Williams .....	2 00	By Miss C H Roome: Mrs	
W M Williams .....	1 00	Jas Harper .....	5 00
Mrs G Keys ..	1 00	Mrs C R Bents .....	5 00
Mrs Chamberlain .....	1 00	Mr Townsend Wandell. ....	3 00
Rev G L Edwards, Jamesport, L		Two friends, \$1 each .....	2 00
I, his most recent marriage		Mrs B Chamberlain .....	1 00
fee .....	7 00	Mrs B Titus .....	1 00
C H Keener .....	5 00	Mrs George Crawford .....	1 00
Rev E A Hill, from Ashford M E		Miss C H Roome .....	2 00
Sunday school .....	10 00	By Mrs P H Williams:	
Miss M E Holcomb, West Win-		Mrs Griffen. ....	2 00
sted .....	1 00	By Mrs P Smith:	
Friend, through the P O .....	1 00	Mrs Dr Forrester ....	1 00
Friends in Ithaca, per Miss Kate		Mrs E Mott .....	2 00
Reed, accompanying a box of		By Mrs Pullman:	
goods. ....	2 00	Mrs T Cooper .....	3 00
Mrs Amy C Draper, Benton Cen-		Mrs Irving ..	1 00
tre, per J M Latimer. ....	5 00	Mrs Charles Irving .....	5 00
Friends per Mrs Nafie, balance	50	Mrs R Lavery .....	1 00
Mrs H Odell .....	5 00	Mr R Lavery .....	1 00
Mrs Cunningham .....	1 00	Mrs Miller .....	1 00
Mrs L A Odell .....	5 00	Mr Bolton .....	1 00
Nancy Hempstead, New London,		Mrs Bolton .....	1 00
Conn. ....	1 00	Mr Miles .....	1 00
E M North, Danbury, Conn. ....	20 00	By Mrs Kennedy:	
Collected in Sunday school ....	30 15	Mrs J A Jackson, of Tenn. .	5 00
Paid in at Board meeting:		Mrs Ryer, donation .....	5 00
By Mrs A Mead:		By Mrs Skidmore: a friend .	5 00
Mr McCall .....	5 00	Eleanor Burling, subscription .	5 00

**Receipt of Goods from May 1, 1870, to May 1, 1871.**

S H Mills, Williamsburgh, 1 package clothing.	Mrs Rev C D Foss, package clothing through Miss Smith.
Mrs Oldham, package clothing.	Mr Huyler, 2 baskets bread.
Chas Berryam, 2 bbls potatoes, per Miss Elliott.	Mrs Moian, parcel clothing.
Horne & Bowman, 1 box soap, per Miss Elliott.	Daniel Hoffman, 1 box of boy's and men's hats.
Mrs Sleight, package clothing, per Miss Elliott.	Miss Smith, 1 package clothing, per Miss Elliott.
J A Reid, 3 packages books.	Mrs Rev R S Amerman, one package clothing.
Mrs Skidmore, 2 packages magazines, for library.	One package clothing, having attached the card of Yebbenhoff & Bro.
Mrs Skidmore, package clothing.	Miss Weed, lot of children's clothing.
Ladies' Sewing Society, per Miss G A Winslow, one package children's clothing.	One barrel potatoes from Port Jarvis.
Mrs Morehouse, package clothing.	Mrs Dr Robinson, large lot of beautiful flowers for infant class.
T J Quirk, cor 9th Avenue and 27th St, 7 bbls bread.	Lizzie Detrett, one package children's clothing.
Mr McDonald, per Miss Ryder, bundle clothing.	J G Semon, package clothing.
	Mrs Rev E A Hill, 2 packages clothing.
	Small box clothing—name unknown.

## *Donations and Subscriptions.*

- Mrs Dr Cushing, package clothing, per Miss Elliott.  
 H Hoover, 2 bbls potatoes.  
 22d Regiment, 1 can milk, 80 quarts ice cream, 1200 boiled eggs, 1800 sandwiches, 800 cakes, 3 cans of coffee.  
 N H Morey, 2 packages clothing.  
 Thomas Miller, 2 packages clothing.  
 Mrs W B Skidmore, package books for library.  
 Mrs Chasher, one package children's clothing.  
 Mrs Wilson, package clothing, per Miss Elliott.  
 Lyon Bros, material for awning over chapel door and stoop.  
 S S Union, 300 S S Advocates.  
 Mrs James Hunt, basket bread.  
 Miss S Sheppard, 9 pair shoes for S S class.  
 Messrs Chovey & Hopping, one dozen brushes.  
 Early & Lane, 1 doz brooms.  
 Mrs Day, package clothing, per Miss Osborne.  
 Mrs Osborne, package clothing, per Miss Osborne.  
 Mrs Bloodgood, parcel jockies, per Miss Elliott.  
 Mr Prior, 1 box crackers.  
 Coughlan & Torrey, lot of hats.  
 A Howe, package men's clothing.  
 R Chellborg, 4 large baskets bread.  
 T V Carpenter, 1 package clothing and 2 hats.  
 Miss Sadie Sheppard, package clothing, per Miss Elliott.  
 Rev Dr Crooks, a large lot of Magazines for Reading Room and Library.  
 Mrs Hunt, 4 loaves of bread.  
 Jane Street M E Church, per express, 1 box second-hand clothing.  
 Mrs Joseph A Wright, 100 pieces of clothing.  
 Messrs C & Y, package of boys' caps.  
 Miss Riche, per Miss C H Roome, 1 package of clothing.  
 Mr Pryor, basket of bread.  
 New York Bible Society, package of Bibles.  
 For Excursion :  
   Mr Parker, 2 hams.  
   Mr Simpson, package of cake.  
   Mrs Liscomb, lot of cakes.  
   Mrs Keely, corned beef, biscuits and pies.  
   Mr Varrian, 1 ham.  
 D Ridley & Son, lot of lost articles.  
 Mrs Rev G A Reeder, Canaan, Ohio, 1 package of clothing.  
 A Chellborg, large basket of bread.  
 Mrs Dr Robinson, 1 bbl and 1 package of clothing.  
 Mrs Joseph A Wright, one package of clothing.  
 Mrs Bloodgood, package clothing.  
 Mrs Dr Cushing, package clothing.  
 A C Vail, 373 4th Avenue, 1 large basket bread.  
 Friends in Waterbury, Conn, 1 box shoes.  
 Capt E B Hale, 1 package clothing.  
 A Howe, 1 pair boy's pants.  
 S S Union, 3 dozen copies of Cookman's Familiar Hymns.  
 Miss Hammond, 1 basket of shoes.  
 Mr Wm Wolfinger, 4 quarts ice cream, for children.  
 Messrs Dunnington & Emich, 38 quarts ice cream, for children.  
 A Chellborg, 3d Avenue, corner 23d Street, 1 baker's basket of bread.  
 S W Stebbins, 25 assorted volumes for Free Library and Reading Room.  
 Rahway, N J, 1 bbl goods  
 Mrs Short, a basket of bread, meat and potatoes.  
 A Chellborg, 3d Avenue, corner 23d St, 1 large bakers' basket bread.  
 Mrs J M Neilson, package clothing  
 Mrs Gibson, 8 vols. for Free Library and Reading Room.  
 Mrs Short, bundle clothing.  
 Mrs S A Round, Binghampton, N Y, per Mrs Phillips, package clothing.  
 Dr B Wilson, 3 packages clothing.  
 Mrs Harding, package clothing.  
 F G Smith, 2 pieces muslin, per Miss Truslow.  
 Mrs Smith, package clothing, per Miss Smith.  
 Mrs Evelith, package clothing,  
 Josiah King, per Miss Truslow, 2 pairs steel shears.  
 S W Beard, per Miss Truslow, 5 lbs coffee.  
 Mrs Bullock, Bay Ridge, L I, 2 bbls apples.  
 Friend, package clothing.  
 Mrs Wells, package clothing.  
 Mrs Boyland, package clothing.  
 Mrs Gedney, package shoes.  
 Miss Mary Cookman, 2 packages clothing and Magazines.  
 A friend, package clothing.

- From Catskill, per barge Thomas Powell, bbl apples  
 Mrs C Tompkins, Dornianville, 1 bbl apples and some articles of clothing.  
 T P Bainbridge, 1 bbl potatoes and a lot of sausages.  
 A Howe, 1 package clothing.  
 R H Cornell, 1 package clothing.  
 Mr Alden, 1 package clothing.  
 Ladies of Grammar School No 7, the making up of 25 under-garments.  
 Mrs E Mott, 1 package clothing.  
 A friend, per express, 1 package clothing.  
 Mrs H Carr, 1 package clothing.  
 Friend, 1 package woolen goods.  
 "E T S," 1 package clothing.  
 Messrs A & W W Shumway, large lot of children's hats.  
 Mrs Boswich, 1 package clothing.  
 Mrs Cramer, 1 package clothing.  
 Mrs Odell, 1 package clothing.  
 From Catskill, per boat Thomas Powell, 6 bbls potatoes, free.  
 Friends in Hawley, Pa, 1 large trunk clothing.  
 Friends in Washington and West Washington Markets, large quantity of meat, poultry and vegetables.  
 W Ryer, 1 bbl apples.  
 C W Barley, 1 load boxes kindling wood.  
 Mrs Wright, 1 basket of pies, 1 basket clothing.  
 Miss M H D, 1 dozen pies.  
 Rev D P Hulburd, Jonesville, N Y, from the juveniles of the congregation, a fine box clothing,  
 Per Miss C H Roome:  
     Mrs Geo Breese, 1 doz pies and lot of cakes.  
     Mrs J M Howe, a large basket of cakes and buns.  
     C D Matthews, 1 bbl apples.  
     Mrs Lizzie Riche, package clothing.  
     Expressage free by Mr Lecraft.  
 Mrs Tozer, Canandaigua, a case of shoes.  
 Miss C Crawford, 1 package clothing  
 Mrs J W Oliver, Yonkers, per Miss C C Crawford, 1 package clothing.  
 Mrs Temperance Tobey, Smyrna, N Y, a large box of goods and 1 bbl potatoes.  
 Porter Brothers, 4 turkies and 2 ducks.  
 John F Kohler, 50 pies.  
 Thomas H Fail, 100 mince pies.  
 Newell Bros, 1 case of shoes.  
 Messrs Jones & Tower, 1 bbl flour.  
 Mrs White, Catharine St, 4 doz pies.  
 The Home Made Hotel and Dining Saloon, 6 pies.  
 Mr Duncan, 1 doz pies and lot of rusk and cakes.  
 Geo Myers, a quantity of cakes and pies.  
 E T De Forest, 13 pies.  
 Miss Carrie McAllister, 1 pair chickens, a fine cake.  
 Dorlan & Shaffer, 1400 oysters.  
 Vail & Wilson, a lot of cakes.  
 D Huyler, a quantity of cakes.  
 St Nicholas Hotel, a pan of pork and beans and 6 fowls.  
 Friends in Saugerties, per Rev D W C Van Gaasbeck, a large box clothing and other goods.  
 H Hennequin & Co, 1 package goods.  
 A friend, package clothing.  
 Mr A Chellborg, 4 bbls bread.  
 H A Goff, 1 package clothing.  
 Prof Dunn, package children's clothing.  
 Mrs Dr Pratt, per Mrs Lankford, package clothing.  
 Friends in Geneva, box clothing.  
 Mrs J B Ford, package clothing.  
 Miss H C Palmer, box clothing.  
 Clifton Springs, per Mrs H M Camel, box clothing.  
 M E Sunday school, Rhinebeck, per P R Quick, box of goods, toys, etc.  
 Mrs Henry, package clothing.  
 Per Express " " (no name.)  
 Per Mrs Berosus Cook, Otego, N Y, 1 box clothing.  
 Mrs Barnes, package clothing.  
 W P Kellogg, trunk and bag of clothing and 1 hat.  
 Mrs Bird, package clothing.  
 Ladies of Seneca Castle, per Mrs A Knapp, bbl clothing, etc.  
 From Durham, Conn, 5½ bbls clothing and vegetables.  
 Mr Prior, 9 loaves bread.  
 A Friend, 3 good coats and pair gloves.  
 David Huyler, basket bread  
 L E Schoonmaker & Co, case of boots and shoes.  
 Mrs E O Howland, one box clothing.  
 Miss S C Smith, box clothing.  
 Mrs E C Marshall, 4 box of children's hats.  
 Friends in Westford, N Y, per Rev J Pilkinton, box of clothing and dried fruits.



- A bundle of clothing tied up in a shawl,  
 (no name.)  
 A Friend, package clothing.  
 A Lester several packages clothing,  
 Mrs J M Carpenter, box clothing.  
 Miss M M Gwillim and Mrs Edwin Cros-  
 by, box clothing.  
 Ladies of North East Centre, N Y, per  
 Miss Esther A Lee, box clothing.  
 Mrs A Chalker, 1 box clothing.  
 Mrs H A Birdsall, " "  
 A Friend, 1 package clothing.  
 Knox the Hatter, 1 case hats.  
 Throckmorton, Cunningham, Diggs &  
 Co, 1½ pieces of goods.  
 Wilson N Page, 1 bbl potatoes.  
 Mrs Holstein, 1 package sugar and cof-  
 fee.  
 Maggie and Thuney Grant, Belle Stew-  
 art, Ellie Phelps and Jacob Plantz,  
 Johnstown, one box of clothing.  
 Ladies' Aid Soc, Shelburne, Vt, 1 box  
 clothing.  
 128th Street, 1 box clothing.  
 Friends in Plattsburgh, N Y, per Rev  
 R S Barley, 1 bbl clothing.  
 A few friends in Leeds, N Y, per Rev  
 E Clement, 1 box clothing  
 Mrs R S Amerman, package clothing.  
 Mrs Capt Tyler, 1 bbl lady apples.  
 Mr Chellborg, 1 large basket bread.  
 P Kinsey, 1 pair turkies.  
 Mrs Denby, 1 package clothing.  
 P E Harris, 2 packages goods.  
 B F Hamn, 2 boxes clothing.  
 A friend in Sing Sing, per Mr Tuns-  
 tall, package boys' hats and collars.  
 Messrs Althof & Co, large package toys  
 Mr Henricks, " "  
 Mrs C Tompkins, 1 bbl clothing and  
 apples.  
 Miss Gross, 1 package clothing.  
 Mrs C E Ten Eyk, 1 package clothing.  
 A F Abbott, S S Supt, 1 box clothing.  
 Mrs Beekman, 1 package clothing.  
 Ladies of the M E Aid Society, Cort-  
 land, N Y, 1 large box clothing.  
 Mrs M R Robbins, 1 bbl clothing.  
 Friends in Waterbury, Ct, 1 box do.  
 Mrs R A Johnson, 1 box do.  
 Ladies' Aid Soc of M E Church, West-  
 port, N Y, per Mrs L M Campbell,  
 1 box clothing.  
 A Lester, lot of military coats and  
 socks.  
 Mrs Bird and Mrs Brown, 1 package  
 clothing.
- Messrs Hoyt & Bros, 1 case shoes.  
 Ladies of 16th Street, lot of jockies.  
 Mrs Bankes, package of jockies and  
 clothing.  
 Mrs Gardner, 1 package clothing.  
 Mrs P B Beerey, 1 package goods.  
 A friend in Brooklyn, one package of  
 clothing.  
 Friends in Windham Centre, 1 box of  
 clothing and quilts.  
 Mrs H A Goff, 1 package quilts and  
 clothing.  
 Clifton Springs, 1 box clothing.  
 New Hamburg, 1 box "  
 Butler, Pitkin & Co, lot of children's  
 gloves.  
 Thomas Love, a lot of corded waists  
 and corsets for children.  
 Mrs Fairbanks, 1 box children's hats.  
 A Friend, 1 package clothing.  
 Miss Stryker, 1 package clothing.  
 New York Bible Society, package Bi-  
 bles, per Rev Mr Smyth  
 Mrs L H Cleveland, 1 bbl goods.  
 Miss G A Winslow, 1 package books, 1  
 package woolen hoods  
 Rev Mr. Ketcham, 2 packages goods.  
 Wm Waite, 1 package clothing.  
 Friends in Jacksonville, N Y, 1 box  
 clothing.  
 Friends in Bedford, per Rev J H  
 Hawxhurst, 1 package clothing.  
 Friends in Bovina (Brushland) per Mrs  
 M J 'Dickon and Miss E Hobbie, 2  
 boxes clothing and dried fruits.  
 Al Pitcher, 1 package clothing.  
 Friends in Sidney Plains, per Mrs Chase,  
 box clothing.  
 A Friend, carpet bag of clothing.  
 Friend, Bennington, Vt, box of bedding  
 and clothing.  
 Miss Eliza Dicks, 2 packages clothing.  
 Mrs Kinzie, 1 box clothing.  
 Mr Rogers, 1 package clothing.  
 Mr Chellborg, 2 barrels bread.  
 J P Love, 5½ doz gentlemen's belts.  
 "F," a lot of woolen articles for chil-  
 dren, and soap for the unwashed.  
 Mrs Mary E Rushmore, per Prof N  
 Dunn, 1 package boys' clothing.  
 Mrs Stryker, 1 package clothing.  
 Willard Asylum, Ovid, N Y, per Mrs  
 Emma C Westervelt, 1 box clothing.  
 Thomas Bainbridge, 200 lbs sausages.  
 One box fine clothing, for children,  
 containing one blue and white crib  
 quilt. No name.

Mrs Dr Cushing, a package clothing and books.	Mrs L Weed, 1 package clothing.
Mrs Short, package do. do.	New York Bible Society, per Rev Mr Smyth, 1 package Bibles and Testaments.
Mrs Nickols, do. do. do.	Wilson Duff, 1 package books.
Mrs Eveleth do. do. do.	Ladies in Cold Brook, N Y, one box of goods.
Mrs Van Sicklin do. do. do.	Messrs Beard & Cummings, per Miss A Truslow, one package coffee.
Miss Irwin, do. do. do.	Messrs Draper & Owen, per do, a lot of buttons.
Miss Girley, do. do. do.	"F," per do, lot of buttons.
A few friends, do. do. do.	A & S Baker, sack of beans.
Mr H T Lee, do. do. do.	A Chellborg, Esq, 1 bbl bread.
Mrs Bennett, do. do. do.	Messrs Iveson, Blakeman & Taylor, 100 Geographies, at 75 cents each.
Mrs Short, basket of meat and potatoes, clothing and books.	F G Smith, Esq, successor to W B Bradbury, a high chair for the use of the librarian in Free Reading Room.
Mr H T Lee, a bale of blankets, clothing and books.	Friends in New Lisbon, N Y, per Mrs E N Nearing, 1 box clothing.
Little Nellie Adams, a dress sacque and hood.	A E Whyland, the young enterprising soap-maker, 2 large boxes soap.
Mrs Wright, a package clothing.	J Garmly, 1 lot of soft hats.
Messrs Howe & Ferry, 5 dozen copy books.	Mr and Mrs Lozenby, Bellona, N Y, 1 box clothing, as a memorial of their deceased daughter.
From Hudson, N Y, 1 package children's clothing, no name.	Mr Chellborg, 1 bbl bread.
Miss Ella Adams, 1 little girl's dress.	J D Blake, Rochester, Min, 1 bbl Golden Ruled flour.
Mr Hamilton, 1 quilt and children's clothing.	Aurora St M E Church, Ithaca, N Y, per Miss Kate Reed, box clothing.
Konkonkoma Ladies' Sewing Society, per Mrs J. A. Gould, 1 package clothing.	Mrs Clans, per Miss Smith, 1 package clothing.
Mrs E M Sandford, per Orange Judd, 1 box dried fruit and clothing.	Mrs H Odell, 2 packages clothing.
Friends in Norwich and Groton, per Mrs Nancy Hempstead, 1 bbl clothing with some dried fruit.	Metropolitan Fire Co, through Capt Creighin, 6 secondhand mattresses.
Thos Bainbridge, 75 lbs sausages.	G Elliott, package clothing.
Dan Talmadge's Sons, 1 bbl rice.	
Mrs Holmes, 1 package clothing.	
Friends in Westford and Elk Creek, N Y, per Rev J Pilkinton, 2 bbls clothing and dried fruit.	

**Cash Received at Thanksgiving.**

A N Deming . . . . .	10 00	Blanke . . . . .	1 00
Neptune B Smyth . . . . .	50	E C Chapel . . . . .	5 00
Annie Smyth . . . . .	10	Mrs W A Sherman . . . . .	2 00
"W" . . . . .	5 00	Collection at Union Service of 1st and 2d Methodist and the Baptist Church, held in Kingston, N Y, per Rev G W Knapp	10 00
Mrs McWilliams . . . . .	1 00	Geo B Brown . . . . .	1 00
Miss Cilvia Latham . . . . .	50	Red School House S S, Steven-son's Mills, Pa . . . . .	4 45
Rev D P Hulburd, 'Jonesville, N Y . . . . .	12 00	M A Sherwood . . . . .	3 00
Miss Annie Polhemus . . . . .	50	"M Slaytor . . . . .	50
Mrs Sarah Lent . . . . .	2 25		
Cash . . . . .	50		
Fiske & Hatch . . . . .	100 00		



J Shipman . . . . .	5 00	Mrs E Mott . . . . .	1 00
Jenette A Burdick . . . . .	1 50	Mrs Julia Smith . . . . .	1 00
J E Butler . . . . .	2 00	Henry Hall . . . . .	1 00
Chas P Genick . . . . .	5 00	Cornelia Hall . . . . .	1 00
M G Baldwin . . . . .	5 00	Augustus Hall . . . . .	1 00
Stephen Barker . . . . .	25 00	Mrs A Gray, \$1 per month regu-	
Willie Dickerson . . . . .	1 00	larly . . . . .	1 00
Goddard & Bro . . . . .	10 00	Cash . . . . .	7 00
Mrs Miller . . . . .	5 00	Mrs Parvier . . . . .	1 00
W H Bryant . . . . .	5 00	Mrs E Stewart . . . . .	1 00
H B Winfield . . . . .	5 00	Mrs P M Clapp . . . . .	2 00
Hillsdale . . . . .	21 00	Mrs Ryer . . . . .	2 00
Leonard Stone . . . . .	5 00	Mrs A W Smith . . . . .	1 00
H J Baker & Bro . . . . .	10 00	Per Miss Roome :	
John Cooper . . . . .	15 00	Kennedy, Hutchinson & Co	10 00
Rodgers . . . . .	30 00	A Friend . . . . .	14 00
Mrs Ann M Hamilton . . . . .	1 00	Mrs H A Lozier . . . . .	5 00
Geo B Greer . . . . .	10 00	Horace Weston . . . . .	2 00
Mr Rathbun . . . . .	1 00	A Friend (C P) . . . . .	5 00
Right Hand . . . . .	5 00	Cash . . . . .	10 30
Perly S Trusdell . . . . .	1 00	Plate collection . . . . .	31 39
Mrs Moore . . . . .	1 00	Wm Kinsley & Co, . . . . .	10 00
C T Reynolds . . . . .	25 00	James L Bates . . . . .	10 00
Geo B Truman . . . . .	2 50	S W Barnard . . . . .	5 00
Mrs R A Francisco . . . . .	3 00	O G B, 150 Broadway . . . . .	2 00
John West . . . . .	2 00	J Holley . . . . .	1 00
Geo F Nesbitt & Co . . . . .	5 00	Wm A Boyd . . . . .	5 00
W N & Co . . . . .	5 00	Elijah T Brown . . . . .	5 00
J W Pockett . . . . .	1 00	L Bailey & Co . . . . .	2 00
Mrs Anna Stoddard . . . . .	2 75	Cash . . . . .	1 00
Thos McKenzie . . . . .	10 00	Cash . . . . .	2 00
C A Lyon . . . . .	10 00	C Augusta Robinson . . . . .	5 00
Saml Shether & Co . . . . .	10 00	"A Mite" . . . . .	1 00
Mrs Temperance Tobey . . . . .	5 00	Rhoda Mudgett . . . . .	50
R F Crocker . . . . .	25 00	Cash . . . . .	25
Richardson, Boynton & Co . . . . .	5 00	Cash . . . . .	1 00
Samuel B Fay . . . . .	5 00	Livingston, Fox & Co . . . . .	10 00
Barlow, Hyatt & Olney . . . . .	2 00	Cash . . . . .	5 00
Naylor & Co . . . . .	20 00	J E Bates . . . . .	2 00
G M Northrop . . . . .	50	Cash . . . . .	2 50
H M Trippe . . . . .	2 00	Artie Arnold . . . . .	50
151 Fulton Street . . . . .	25 00	J J Barntell . . . . .	1 00
Collection on Thanksgiving Day		Cash . . . . .	2 00
from S. 2d and N. 5th Street		R H L—g, . . . . .	2 00
Churches, per Rev G L Taylor	32 00	W B Maddock . . . . .	1 00
Rebecca McCord . . . . .	5 00	A M Jackson . . . . .	50
Rev D W C Van Gaasbeck,		Jas A Hearn & Son . . . . .	5 00
Union collection, Saugerties	23 18	G G H . . . . .	10 00
Mrs R A Reading, . . . . .	25 00	Mrs D N Bentley . . . . .	10 00
C A Norris . . . . .	10 00	Williston, Knight & Co . . . . .	5 00
C R A Scobey . . . . .	50	C C Peck . . . . .	2 50
Star . . . . .	50	Warren Chem. and Manuf. Co	15 00
O S M . . . . .	75	Jacob Fussell . . . . .	5 00
Asenath Niles . . . . .	2 00	Henry Foster, M D . . . . .	5 00
Oliver Mather . . . . .	1 00	H B Jackson . . . . .	10 00
Mrs Brinkerhoof . . . . .	10 00	O L Gillett . . . . .	1 25
Mrs Henricks . . . . .	1 00	A Friend, Howell's Depot	11 50
Mrs Marshall . . . . .	3 00	A C Kingsland & Sons . . . . .	10 00

Hannah K Bentley,	2 00	P S Trussdell and Mrs H Moore	2 00
Nathan Lane	1 00	Mrs M L Taber	5 25
W A & O H Bradley	1 00	Melins, Trask & Ripley	10 00
C Braker, Jr	10 00	Miss H Miller, per Mrs E E Ryer	3 50
Per S W R Shores:		Mrs Wing	1 00
Jos Broadbent	1 00	Miss Eliza Adams	1 25
Miss Hattie Broadbent	25	J M Northrup	50
Miss Elizabeth Broadbent	25	"A Friend"	5 00
Miss Ella Broadbent	10	J P Lyon	2 00
Mrs Mary Van Huson	25	Messrs Bica & Co	10 00
Daniel Burroughs	25	S A D Moulton	5 00
Fred Greebe	1 00	Mrs J H Jordon	1 00
James Davis	1 00	H Newell,	60
Mrs M D Shores	1 00	"E W"	2 00
Cash	50	Mrs S Potter	50
John Stafford	1 00	Miss Potter	50
Miss Mary Hunter	5 00	Mrs Davis	50
Francis & Loutrel	5 00	Mrs Campbell	25
Mrs Ellen Cole	3 00	Cash	1 00
Cash	1 00	"A Friend"	50
J B Davidson	10 00	Perkins & Goodwin	5 00
Rutsen Maurey	1 00	Miss Mina Snyder	1 00
D D Anderson	5 00	Dr J M Howe	5 00
A T Stewart & Co	25 00	Mrs Sarah Hanne	1 25
De Graff & Taylor	10 00	E H Ludlow & Co	5 00
Cash	2 00	"W B J"	3 00
J A Van Deusen	2 25	Lawrence Bros & Tweedy	10 00
Arza Muncy	2 00	G & N Redmond	20 00
H W Palmer	5 00	Wm Rathburn	1 00
D Bensley, balance	7 50	Maria S Horton	1 00
E D Stanton	25 00	Albro Horton	1 00
Wm H Kennedy	10 00	M Stephenson	1 00
Cash	5 00	Isabel Beck	1 25
Geo Dudley	50	S F Odell	5 00
Maria Van Wormer	1 00	Cash	1 00
E S Gordon	10 00	C V S Rosvelt	25 00
F Senior, Schaghticoke	2 00	Bowles, Bros & Co	5 00
East Madison, Me	50	Cambridge, N Y, by Mrs W D	
B Gartside, Chester	5 00	Bishop	12 00
"A Friend"	2 00	W C Rogers	2 00
Miss Lucy Strong	1 00	Mrs R C Palmer	10 00
F McBride	20 00	R Burr	2 00
Chauncey Barnard	5 00	Hattie Caswell	1 00
Washington Square M E S S,		Rebecca Woolman	2 25
per Mrs Peter Smith	30 00	C D Kellogg, Esq	5 00
Cash	2 00	M M Fisher	4 00
Cash	20 00	W Niblo, Esq	5 00
H K C	10 00	James McGee	10 00
Cash	1 00	Wm F Havemyer	20 00
E T Smith	50	Mrs W F Hemmenway	2 00
Henry Savage	2 00	H Brotherton	1 25
H Clark	5 00	G W Keeler	1 00
Cash	1 00	A W Bostwick	1 00
Mr Nicol	5 00	E T Hyatt	1 00
Cash	50	Peter B Olney	1 00
H G Pierson	75	Cash	25
M Todd	5 00		

**Goods Collected at Thanksgiving by M. H. Savage.**

J T Wilson, 1 bbl potatoes.	Romaine, Westervelt & Co, one bbl apples.
Anderson & Co, $\frac{1}{2}$ bbl apples.	Helfrich, Hoffman & Co, 9 chickens.
Conant & Gilson, 1 box raisins.	N Duckworth & Son, 1 prime cheese.
Geo H Sturcke, 25 lbs meal.	Robinson, Lord & Co, one dozen good brooms.
Wm E Shults & Co, 1 bushel beans.	Miller, Luther & Co, large box raisins.
Nash & Whiton, large sack of salt.	Boyle & Lyles, 1 large sack hominy.
Blauvelt & Blew, 1 bbl sweet potatoes.	Badeau, Lockwood & Co, $\frac{1}{2}$ bushel peanuts.
Pupke & Reid, 2 large packages coffee.	D Wegman & Co, $\frac{1}{2}$ bushel peanuts.
Lloyd I Seaman, 1 turkey.	Chas Parsons & Sons, 1 bbl apples.
McLaren & Raynor, 1 ham.	Bowne & Purdy, 1 turkey.
W E Hartwig, 1 bag peas.	John H Boschen, 50 lbs meal.
French & Co, 1 bbl potatoes.	J R Helfrich, 12 chickens.
Mordaunt Bodine, large box raisins.	Mott & Terpening, 1 bbl potatoes.
Wm H Cohen & Co, lot of pickles.	R J Holland & Co, 1 bag beans.
S T Willetts, 2 lbs tea.	Chamberlin & Hartman, 1 bbl potatoes.
Wygant & Hoeft, 1 bushel potatoes.	Eli Campbell & Son, 1 bbl sweet potatoes.
Henry Lowe, 15 lbs coffee.	W J & S H Davenport, 1 bbl potatoes.
John Hayn, 1 bag rice.	De La Vergne & Hare, 1 fine turkey.
Jas S Bearns & Co, 1 bag rice.	Lanning & Laing, 6 chickens.
Rufus Park & Co, 1 bag rice.	Wheaton & Blackburn, 2 chickens.
Albert Burfeind, 1 bag meal.	Patterson, Clapp & Co, 6 chickens.
Board, Dean & Co, 1 large box raisins.	Baker, Vail & Clark, 1 ham.
Geo C Parker, lot of canned fruit.	Parker & Gemmel, 1 shoulder.
C Stegmann & Son, 1 bag of peas.	A & W E Duryea, 1 bbl potatoes.
Hawkins & Williams, 1 box raisins, 2 drums figs.	W H Simmons & Co, 1 bbl turnips.
Chas T Goodwin & Sons, box crackers.	Caverley, Stege & Co, 2 bushels onions.
S L Travis & Co, 1 fine ham.	P J Ronk & Co, 3 chickens and 3 turkeys.
Potter & Williams, 1 bbl sweet potatoes.	Wright, Gillies & Bro, 1 large box coffee.
W C Ward & Co, 1 box raisins.	Gilbert, Oakley & Co, 1 bbl flour.
J J Moore & Co, 1 bbl turnips.	Rollins & Co, 1 bbl flour.
Parker & Perrine, 1 ham, 2 boxes her-ring. <sup>7</sup>	T E F Randolph & Co, 1 bbl flour.
Fisher & Van Campen, 1 shoulder.	
Corbett, Slater & Co, 1 turkey.	
Fischer, Kirby & Brown, 25 lbs coffee.	
John K Lascher & Bro, 2 fine chickens.	

**Cash Received through Rev. E. A. Hill.**

R Hoe & Co .....	25 00	Southard & Co.....	20 00
Nailor & Co .....	25 00	Popenhausen & Konig .....	20 00
Tiffany & Co .....	25 00	Oelrichs & Co .....	10 00
C V S Roswell .....	25 00	F G Smith .....	10 00
Southard & Co .....	20 00	Kendricks Bros ..	10 00
Lord & Taylor ..	20 00	E A Holbrook ....	10 00
M Vassar ....	20 00	L G Mfg Co .....	10 00
G P Cornell .....	10 00	C Pukhafer ..	5 00
C M Cosgrove .....	10 00	A L H & Co .....	5 00
Pupke & Rud ..	10 00	A Raymond .....	5 00
E Caudwell .....	10 00	Ogden & Co ..	5 00

J Cummings .....	5 00	Leonard Kirby .....	10 00
Cash .....	30 00	F Bonticou. ....	10 00
J A F .....	2 00	H Lawrence & Sons.....	10 00
Cash from several persons ....	23 00	Alex H Horton.....	5 00
Morris Tasker & Co.....	20 00	F H & Co.....	5 00
E M Boynton.....	10 00	Chas B Wood .....	5 00
Roswell, Shiel & Co.....	10 00	F W Breed.....	5 00
Otis D Swan .....	10 00	W Bacon.....	5 00
John G Auten.....	10 00	D Denham, Jr .....	5 00
Fellows, Hoffman & Co .....	10 00	J L Brownell & Bro .....	5 00
B R Hard .....	10 00	H Queruple.....	1 00
Kemp, Day & Co .....	5 00	Cash.....	1 30
W B Hunter.....	5 00	W H Allen.....	1 00
A Phillips .....	5 00	W H Conover, Jr.....	2 00
Stitt & Underhill.....	5 00	Cash.....	25 00
Wm G Creamer .....	5 00	C Van Blankenstine.....	10 00
Mrs Opi.....	5 00	Halsted, Haines & Co.....	10 00
J H W.....	5 00	A Goettle & Co .....	10 00
W M.....	5 00	W B Hunter & Co.....	5 00
L & G Mf Co .....	5 00	Bigelow, Carpenter & Co.....	5 00
Th H Vetterlein & Sons .....	5 00	R Maclar .....	5 00
F K Bangs .....	2 00	J R Walker.....	5 00
T R & T W L .....	2 00	Cash in small sums.....	7 00
G W T & Co .....	2 00	J W Green .....	25 00
A J Upson.....	2 00	Architectural Iron Works.....	20 00
Joseph Naton .....	25 00	Drake Bros.....	10 00
Powers & Weightman.....	20 00	Cash .....	10 00
S Simmons .....	10 00	Kemp, Day & Co.....	5 00
B P H .....	10 00	R W Adams .....	5 00
Carter, Hawley & Co .....	10 00	Two parties, \$2 each.....	4 00
S R Bradley .....	10 00	Four parties, \$1 each.....	4 00
Five friends, cash \$5 each .....	25 00	Brown, Harris & Hopkins.....	10 00
J H H .....	5 00	Bowles Colgate .....	10 00
N B Walker.....	5 00	R A Brick.....	10 00
W B Hunter .....	5 00	G H Bond .....	25 00
A E Barnes .....	2 00	American Merch' Union Exp Co	25 00
A C Martin .....	2 00	United States Ex Co.....	25 00
J G Hood .....	1 00	B W Merriam.....	10 00
Two friends, cash \$1 each .....	2 00	W C Schermerhorn .....	10 00
One cash .....	50	F Lord & Co.....	10 00
Bader, Adamson & Co .....	20 00	Chase, Stewart & Co .....	10 00
Hamilton camp meeting.....	26 10	Tefft, Griswold & Kellogg .....	10 00
J J Tucker .....	25 00	Justus Lawrence .....	10 00
Harnden & National Express.....	20 00	Cash .....	5 00
Kiggins, Tooker & Co .....	10 00	Treadwell & Jarman.....	5 00
Cash.....	2 00	Cash, H R.....	5 00
Wheeler & Wilson Mfg Co.....	25 00	E B.....	2 00
Singer Mfg Co .....	25 00	Cash .....	3 30
Richard Irwin .....	25 00	W Jackson.....	5 00
Winslow, Lanier & Co .....	20 00	H T Dimock .....	5 00
Josiah Macy's Sons.....	20 00	B M Livermore.....	5 00
Wilcox & Gibbs Mfg Co.....	10 00	A D F & C Books .....	5 00



**Goods Received through Rev. E. A. Hill.**

- B K Bliss & Co, 50 bbls potatoes.  
 James Raymond, 1 sack pearl barley.  
 C F Matlage, half quintal codfish.  
 Flemming, Adams & Co, 50 lbs rice.  
 F W Smith, 1 box starch.  
 Conover & Laird, 1 bbl potatoes.  
 Present, 3 boxes pens.  
 Early & Laner, 1 dozen brooms.  
 Hoppin & Hovey, 1 dozen brushes.  
 John Caswell & Co, 1 chest tea.  
 S Howell, 1 large cask pickles.  
 H Romer, 1 ton coal.  
 D Appleton & Co, 4 doz Geographies.  
 J W Schermerhorn & Co, school apparatus.  
 Allen & Co, hand eart, in part.  
 Griffing & Co, 1 wheelbarrow.  
 John Moon, 3 snow shovels.  
 Myhem & Schenk, 1 quintal fish.  
 J Guth & Bro, 4 dozen eggs.  
 Runk & Odell, 1 box soap.  
 J Q A Butler, 1 stove.  
 Wiggins & Co, 8 pairs shoes.  
 Titus, Frazee & Titus, 1 cwt meal.  
 T C Nostrand, 1 cwt meal.  
 Cutter, Tower & Co, lot of stationery.  
 J F Trow, 1 City Directory.  
 Berlin & Jones, 1000 envelopes.  
 F Hoffen, 2 dozen eggs.  
 Wardell & Archer, jellies and fruits.  
 National Stove Works, donation on heater.  
 A J Vanwickle, 1000 envelopes.  
 J Q Preble, 2000 envelopes.  
 Samuel Thompson's Nephews, one ton coal.  
 J W Kissam, lot hardware.  
 A Wedmyer, 2 lbs tea.  
 McBride & Williams,  $\frac{1}{2}$  bbl of beans.  
 O Manhken, 25 lbs oat meal.  
 Batterson, Clapp & Co, lot of dried apples.  
 Patrick Campbell, 1 bbl potatoes.  
 Holt & Co, 1 bbl flour.  
 Chas Sparks, 1 cord wood.  
 D & B, 2 reams paper.  
 Wm H Cohen & Co, 1 cask pickles.  
 Lane, Son & Co, 2 bags meal.  
 Mangam & McCord, 2 bags meal.  
 Coster, Broat & Co, 1 cheese.  
 Alex B Mercan, 1 bbl flour.  
 Michel & Kalbe, 1 bbl flour.  
 Tefft & Treusdell, 1 bbl flour.  
 Miles & Holman, 1 bbl hominy.  
 Hicks & Higby, bbl flour.  
 Hopkins & Robinson, bbl flour.  
 Boyd, Gilbertson & Co, "  
 John H Bond, "  
 R Carter & Brother, books for Sunday school.  
 Elisha Crowell & Co, 1 quintal fish.  
 Shole & Bros, 1 bag meal.  
 Knickerbocker Ice Co, bill for ice.  
 Hoyt, Busick & Co, 3 carving knives and forks.  
 Arthur & Co, blank book.  
 Lampson & Goodenow, 3 carving knives and forks.  
 Phelps & Bogert, lot of stationery.  
 E Ketcham & Co, lot of tin ware.  
 Enoch Morgan's Sons, 1 box soap.  
 Hosford & Sons, stationery.  
 Crampton Bros, 1 box soap.  
 J Goul & Sons, 6 lbs tea.  
 Herrick & Wakeman, bag of beans.  
 C W Idell, 1 bbl apples.  
 Bailey, Clark & Co, 1 box soap.  
 J W More, 1 bbl flour.  
 C W Remington, 1 bbl flour.  
 H W Smith, 1 bbl flour.  
 A Friend, 1 carving knife and fork.  
 Jones & Tower, 1 bbl flour.  
 Waterbury, Ct, box of goods.  
 Dan Talmage's Sons, 1 tierce of rice.  
 Sheldon & Co, books for Christmas.  
 Leavitt & Allen Bros, 93 vols, Lessings, Primary History; 2 packages of Juvenile Books.  
 Dethmer & Indman, lot of toys.  
 F B Fels & Co, package books.  
 Watsons, Boydue, Fay & Co, lot of caps.  
 T H & Co, clothing.  
 Henry Cromwell, lantern.  
 John Kobbs, large lot of Spellers.  
 J S Jones, 2 pair shoes.  
 143 West Street, 25 lbs flour.  
 A L Clements, 1 box assorted goods.



**Money received through C. R. Disosway.**

Members of the Board of Bro-		C R Loew.....	5 00
kers, by G H Brodhead.....	115 00	O D Munn.....	5 00
Collected by E B Stone.....	48 00	S H Wales.....	5 00
New York Times.....	20 00	Merrill, Fitch & Allin.....	5 00
H Ries & Sons.....	10 00	R H Bowne.....	5 00
M Armstrong & Sons.....	10 00	D H Knapp.....	5 00
J Van Wagenen.....	10 00	C Zabriskie, Jr.....	5 00
W Topping.....	10 00	G Nathan.....	5 00
W McDermot.....	10 00	James Conner.....	5 00
Clerks in Chemical Bank.....	9 25	T C Fields.....	5 00
W R Bebee.....	5 00	H M Williams.....	5 00
Rutsen Suckley.....	5 00	R C Combes.....	5 00
A A Meldrum.....	5 00	Small sums.....	35 85

**Goods received through C. R. Disosway.**

Earle's Hotel, 8 turkies.		Cosmopolitan Hotel, 4 dressed turkies.	
Leggett & Storms, 1 ham, 6 pies, 8		Currier's Hotel, 1 large turkey.	
loaves bread, 3 turkies and $\frac{1}{2}$ bbl		Maillard's Hotel, 2 handsome pyramids.	
apples.		Hoffman House, 8 loaves bread, 1 tur-	
French's Hotel, 4 turkies, 10 chickens,		key, lot of cold meats, and lot of	
20 pies.		pastry.	
Nash & Fuller, 1 turkey and roast beef.		Albemarle Hotel, large cabinet pudding.	
H Gould, 2 turkies.		Fifth Avenue Hotel, 4 turkies, 4 chick-	
Pettit & Co, 1 nicely trimmed turkey.		ens, 12 loaves bread.	
Belmont Hotel, 1 turkey, beef and 6		Le Grand Central Hotel, 2 turkies, 4	
loaves bread.		chickens.	
Merchants' Hotel, 12 pies, 2 turkies, 6		Continental Hotel, 1 pan pork and	
loaves bread		beans, 1 turkey, 2 chickens, 8 loaves	
Pacific Hotel, 4 turkies, 2 chickens, 1		bread.	
goose, 6 pies, 6 loaves bread.		Revere House, 1 turkey, 6 loaves bread.	
St Nicholas Hotel, 6 pieces poultry, dish		Coleman House, 1 turkey, 1 ham, saus-	
pork & beans		ages and bread.	

**Money and Goods received through G. Leavens.**

Messrs Naylor & Co.....	25 00	A B Combs.....	1 00
Messrs Baeder, Adamson & Co.	10 00	Naylor & Co.....	25 00
Cash, W F \$5, Cash, A H H \$5	10 00	Baeder, Adamson & Co.....	10 00
Cash \$3, Cash \$2.....	5 00	L H & Co, 1 dozen brooms.	
Cash \$2, Cash \$1.....	3 00	Messrs Bradley & Smith, 1 doz brushes.	

**Goods received through Mrs. Ryer.**

Aaron Parker, lot of bread and biscuits.	John White, 24 pies.
Mr John Ray, 200 rolls, 6 pies.	Mr Munson, 20 "
Mrs Furlong, 6 mince pies.	Mrs Hopkins, 60 "
H N Markert, 6 pies.	Mr Breeze, 25 "
W Brummel, box candy.	Mrs Carpenter, "
S Viau, 6 pies, 6 loaves bread.	Mrs Ryer, 12 "
Vail & Wilson, 25 pies.	

**Goods received through Mrs. Stephen Merritt, Jr.**

Mrs Richard Keyes, 1 ham, 1 cake.	Mrs Link, 1 ham.
Mrs Mallory, 6 mince pies.	Mrs Gage, 1 cake.
Mrs Neaves, 6 apple pies.	Mrs Van Blarcum, 1 cake.
Mrs D Taylor, 1 pumpkin pie.	Mrs Ward, 1 raisin cake.
Mrs Laws, 1 apple pie.	Mrs J F Williams, 1 load of wood.
Mrs Wm Pennington, 2 apple pies.	Mrs S Merritt, Jr, 100 biscuit, 1 bed
Mrs Nelson, 6 pies and 1 bed quilt.	quilt.

## AN ACT

To incorporate the New York Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Passed March 20, 1856.

*The People of the State of New York represented in the Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:*

§ 1. Mrs. Caroline R. Deuel, Mrs. Phœbe Palmer, Mrs. Helen M. Carlton, Mrs. Julia M. Olin, Mrs. Jane E. Baker, Mrs. Harriet Skidmore, and Mrs. L. A. Holdich, and such other persons as are now associated, or may hereafter associate with them and their successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of "The New York Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church."

§ 2. The objects of said Society are to support one or more missionaries to labor among the poor of the City of New York, especially in the locality known as the "Five Points," to provide food, clothing, and other necessities for such poor; to educate poor children, and provide for their comfort and welfare; and for that purpose to maintain a school at the Five Points, in said city, and to perform kindred acts of charity and benevolence.

§ 3. The same corporation may purchase and hold real and personal estate, and may take and hold the same by devise or bequest; but the amount of real estate which the said corporation may at any one time hold shall not exceed in value one hundred thousand dollars, and the annual income of its personal estate shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars.

§ 4. The said corporation shall have power to adopt a constitution, and to prescribe rules and regulations not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of this state, for the government of the Society, the management of its affairs, the election of its officers and managers, and the safe keeping and disposition of its property and funds; its managers and officers may be females, married or unmarried; and all deeds and contracts of the corporation shall be signed, and the corporate seal affixed, and verified by the Directress acting as president of the Society, and by the Treasurer and Secretary.

§ 5. The said corporation shall possess the general powers and be subject to the general restrictions and regulations contained in the eighteenth chapter of the first part of the Revised Statutes of this state.

§ 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

# CONSTITUTION.

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## ARTICLE I.

This Association shall be called the "NEW YORK LADIES' HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH."

## ARTICLE II.

The object of this Society is, to raise funds to support one or more missionaries for this city, who shall be appointed in accordance with the requirements of the Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The amount of salary shall be determined by the officers and managers of the Board, and shall be remitted monthly.

## ARTICLE III.

The funds collected by the Society shall be appropriated, as far as may be necessary, to the payment of the allowance of the missionary or missionaries, and the surplus funds reserved for objects of benevolence, and for such other purposes as shall best subserve the great missionary work in the City of New York.

## ARTICLE IV.

Any person, by the payment of ONE DOLLAR, or more, annually, shall be a member of this Society; and the payment of ten dollars at any one time shall constitute a member for life.

## ARTICLE V.

The business of this society shall be conducted by a First, Second, Third and Fourth Directress, Treasurer, Recording and Corresponding Secretary, and fifty or more Managers, selected from the different Methodist churches in the city, who shall be elected annually by the Society.

The wives of all itinerant ministers in New York shall be *ex-officio* members of the Board.

## ARTICLE VI.

Seven members, at all meetings of the Board of Managers, and fifteen at all meetings of the Society, shall constitute a quorum.



ARTICLE VII.

The Board shall have power to make its own by-laws, and fill vacancies that may occur during the interval of its annual meetings.

ARTICLE VIII.

At all meetings of the Board, or of the Society, the First Directress, or, in her absence, the Second, Third, or Fourth Directress, or, in the absence of all, such member as shall be chosen for that purpose, shall preside.

ARTICLE IX.

The annual meeting of this Society shall be held on the first Tuesday in April; the place and hour to be determined by the Board of Managers.

ARTICLE X.

The Constitution may be altered at any annual meeting of the Society, or at a meeting called for that purpose; two-thirds of the members present consenting to the proposed alteration.

ARTICLE XI.

A majority of the officers of the Board shall have power to call special meetings, if necessary.

ARTICLE XII.

A wardrobe and school committee shall be elected annually from the members of the Board.

## BY-LAWS.

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ART. I.—The meetings of the Board of Managers shall be held monthly, on the first Tuesday of each month, at such time and place as the Board may from time to time appoint.

ART. II.—1. All meetings of the Board shall be opened with the reading of the Scripture or prayer.

2. Reading and approval of the Minutes of the preceding meeting, calling the roll, and receiving moneys from Managers.

3. Treasurer's Report.

4. Reports of committees, or unfinished business.

5. Miscellaneous business.

6. Reports of Missionaries.

To adjourn with singing.

ART. III.—It shall be the duty of the officer presiding to call the meeting to order at the appointed hour of business, preserve good order, state all questions, and, in case of an equal division, give the casting vote.

ART. IV.—It shall be the duty of the Directress, as far as practicable, to visit in turn, weekly, the different missions under the charge of the Society; take a general supervision of their interests, and from time to time, report the success of the work.

ART. V.—It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to pay such orders as are signed by the Directress, and such expenses as the Board shall direct; keep a regular account of the receipts and disbursements of the Society, and report the state of the funds at the regular meetings of the Board. At the close of the year the accounts shall be audited by two members of the Board, who shall be appointed for the purpose.

ART. VI.—It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary to keep correct minutes of all the meetings of the Society and Board; to keep a register of subscribers and donors; to receive all moneys from the Managers and Missionaries; pass them over to the Treasurer, who shall give receipt for the same in a book kept for the purpose.

ART. VII.—It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to notify Managers of their election, and of all the meetings of the

Board ; to prepare the Annual report of the Society, and to conduct the correspondence. She shall also furnish each Manager with a subscription book, at the expense of the Society, with the following recommendation written on the first page of each book :

“ This is to certify that A B is a Manager in the New York Ladies' Home Missionary Society, and is hereby authorized to solicit and receive subscriptions and donations for the same ;” which shall be signed by each of the officers of the Board.

ART. VIII.—It shall be the duty of the Managers to attend all meetings of the Society and Board, collect and receive subscriptions and donations, and pay the same to the Recording Secretary, at the monthly meetings of the Board, and preserve, in books, the names of the subscribers and donors, and the amounts received.

ART. IX.—In addition to his ministerial duties, the Missionary shall attend all meetings of the Society and Board, give a report of his labors during the month, account for all moneys received, and all disbursements. He shall also keep a journal of his labors, and, at the expiration of each quarter, shall furnish a written report for publication. The journal to be the property of the Society.

ART. X.—It shall be the duty of the Wardrobe Committee to receive and distribute articles of clothing and bedding, to keep a register of the disbursements, and the names and residences of the recipients, and report monthly, if required, to the Board.

ART. XI.—It shall be the duty of the School Committee to supply teachers, books, &c., for the day-schools, and to give a monthly report of their interest to the Board.

ART. XII.—The Board shall have power to elect annually a certain number of gentlemen, who shall act as an Advisory Committee.

ART. XIII.—No Lady shall leave her seat or engage in unnecessary conversation during the meetings of the Board.

ART. XIV.—The Board shall elect annually an Executive Committee to consist of seven ladies, chosen from the officers and managers of the Society.

## DIRECTIONS CONCERNING BEQUESTS AND DEVISES.

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Persons disposed to make donations to the Society by will are requested to use the following form of bequest :

"I give and bequeath unto 'The New York Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church' (incorporated by an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, passed March 20, 1856,) the sum of —— dollars; and the receipt of the Treasurer of that Society shall be a sufficient discharge of my executors for the same."

If land be donated, instead of money, say :

"I give and devise unto 'The New York Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church' (incorporated by an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, passed March 20, 1856,) all that certain piece of land, with the appurtenances described as follows :"

(Here describe it.)

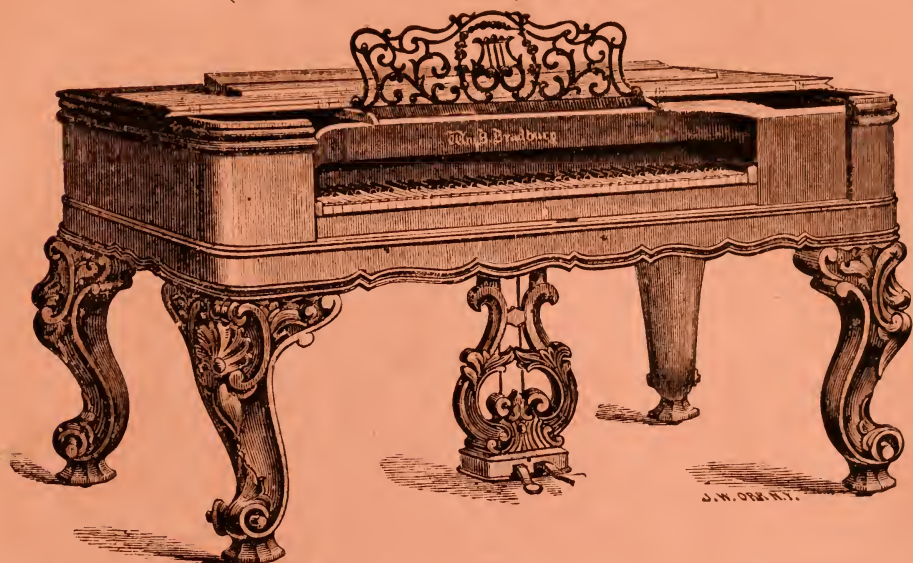
The Managers would prefer donations in money, instead of donations of land, in all cases where it is practicable; and if it be necessary that the money be realized from the sale of land, it is competent to instruct executors, in the will, to sell the lands and convert the same into money, and from the proceeds thereof to pay —— dollars to "The New York Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church" (incorporated by an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, passed March 20, 1856.)



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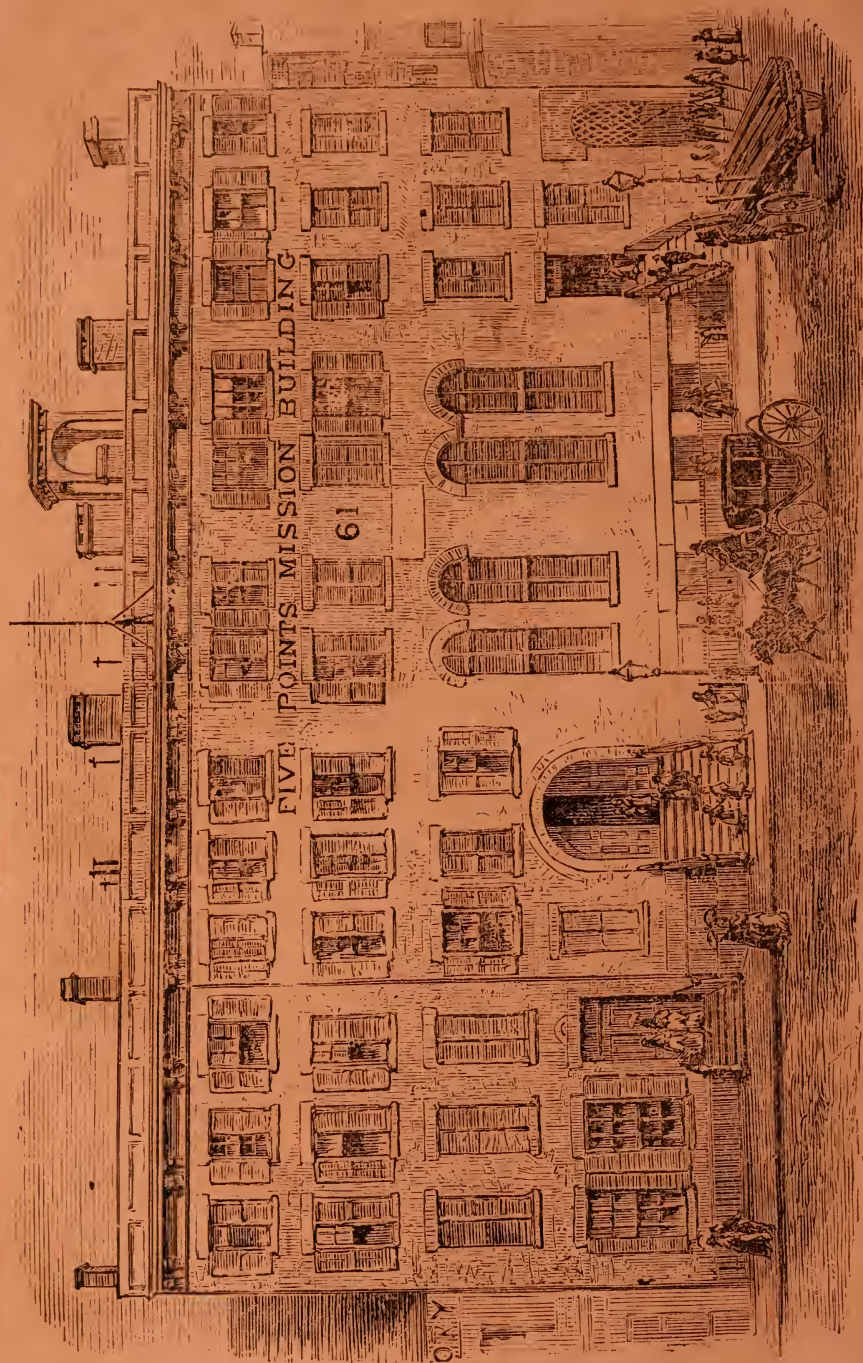
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